



State of Washington

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### DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE (DNS)

**Name of Proposal:** DNS 16-021: MONTESANO BOAT RAMP REPAIR

**Description of Proposal:**

The Montesano Boat Ramp is currently experiencing limited functionality due to broken and out of position concrete planks. WDFW proposes to perform maintenance on the ramp by removing the three existing ramps and replacing them with two ramps protected with cabled concrete matting around the edges. The overall footprint of the ramp will decrease slightly. The specific tasks will include:

1. Remove three existing boat launch ramps which are in poor condition (4560.5 sq.ft.). Haul debris to approved landfill.
2. Install crushed rock bedding material for new ramps.
3. Install two boat launch ramps (using pre-cast 4 ft. by 12 ft. concrete planks) in the same footprint as the old ramp.
4. Install cabled concrete mats (armor-flex) on shoulders and end of concrete ramp planks to protect against erosion. Total new ramp area will be 4228 sq. ft.
5. Grade parking area.
6. Asphalt pave existing access entrance road and ramp approach.
7. Asphalt pave ADA parking pad.
8. Replace failing culverts onsite and clean ditches.
9. Replace vault toilet.
10. Install barrier rock to protect shoreline areas.
11. Mitigation for temporary project impacts include invasive plant removal.

**Proponent/Applicant:** Washington State Department of Fish and Wildlife (WDFW)  
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**Location of Proposal, including street, if any:** Chehalis River at Hwy 107, Montesano, Grays Harbor County, Washington: Township 17N, Range 7W, Sections 18.

**Lead Agency:** Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife (WDFW)

WDFW has determined that this proposal will likely not have a significant adverse impact on the environment. Therefore, state law<sup>1</sup> does not require an environmental impact statement (EIS). WDFW made this determination of nonsignificance (DNS) after we reviewed the environmental checklist and other information on file with us.

We issued this DNS according to state rules.<sup>2</sup> We will **not act on this proposal for 14 days** from the date we issued the DNS. Agencies, affected tribes, and members of the public are invited to comment on this proposal or DNS. We must receive your comments within 14 days of the date of this letter. The comment period will end at **5:00 pm on May 10, 2016**.

**Method of Comment:** The following procedures shall govern the method to comment on agency SEPA proposals. Comments received through these procedures are part of the official SEPA record for this proposal.

You can submit your comments any one of the following ways:

- Email to [SEPAdesk2@dfw.wa.gov](mailto:SEPAdesk2@dfw.wa.gov)
- Online at the WDFW SEPA website comment link at: <http://wdfw.wa.gov/licensing/sepa/>
- Fax to (360) 902-2946;
- Mail to the address below.

**Responsible Official:** Lisa Wood

**Position/Title:** SEPA/NEPA Coordinator, WDFW Regulatory Services Section

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After the comment period closes, applicants may view the updated status of this proposal on the WDFW SEPA website: <http://wdfw.wa.gov/licensing/sepa/>. Once the status is posted as final, applicants and permittees may take action on the proposal. When a proposal is modified or withdrawn, notice will be given in accordance with state law.<sup>1</sup>

If you have questions about this DNS or the details of the proposal, contact Lisa Wood at the address, e-mail, or fax number above; you can also call her at (360) 902-2260.

**DATE OF ISSUE:** April 26, 2016

**SIGNATURE:**



Footnotes

1. RCW 43.21C.030(2)(c)
2. WAC 197-11-340(2).

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